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**AMENDMENT**

**In the Specification:**

Paragraph [0058], beginning on page 16, line 15, and ending at page 16, line 25, is replaced with the following amended Paragraph [0058]. The amendments are indicated in the marked up version included with this response as Attachment A:

**[0058]** The components of the compositions of the present invention help trigger a cascade of immune signaling mechanisms. This is especially important when stress factors work against the immune system. Glyconutrients help carry these immune signals to other cells.